

BEFORE  
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF  
SOUTH CAROLINA  
DOCKET NO. 1999-271-T - ORDER NO. 1999-501

JULY 15, 1999

IN RE: Application of Danny R. Croxdale DBA	)	ORDER APPROVING
Affordable Moving Services, 2272 Country	)	INCREASE IN RATES
Club Road, Spartanburg, SC 29302, for a	)	AND CHARGES
Rate Increase.	)	

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This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) on the request of Danny R. Croxdale DBA Affordable Moving Services, (Affordable) 2272 Country Club Road, Spartanburg, SC 29302 for an increase in rates and charges for movement of household goods.

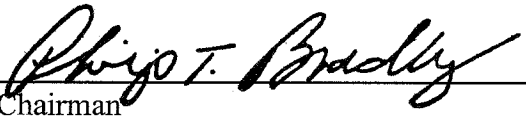
Affordable proposes the following rate changes: for a van, \$20.00 per hour to \$30.00 per hour; for one person, \$40.00 per hour to \$50.00 per hour; for two persons, \$50.00 per hour to \$60.00 per hour; for three persons, \$60.00 per hour to \$70.00 per hour, and for four persons, \$70.00 per hour to \$80.00 per hour. All line-haul rates would increase by 20%. Accessorial charges are shown in the filing.

We would note that the increases would still put Affordable below the South Carolina Tariff Bureau in level of rates. Affordable's "as adjusted" operating ratio before the increase is 100%. The Company's operating ratio after the increase amounting to \$7520 would be 85%.

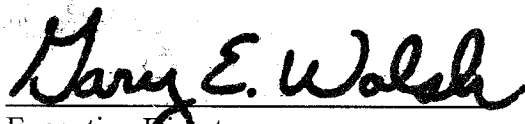
We believe that this new operating ratio is just and reasonable and that the proposed increase is just and reasonable. We note that even after the increase, Affordable's prices would still be below those of the South Carolina Tariff Bureau. We therefore approve the increase as filed.

This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

  
Chairman

ATTEST:

  
Executive Director

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